

the par value thereof, five per cent on the amount of such income.'

And inserting in lieu thereof the following:

'That a tax of five per cent shall be laid and collected on the nett annual income or dividend of the stock of the bank and other incorporated companies specified in the 23d section of this act.'

On motion by Mr. Grason, the proviso of the 29th section was amended by striking therefrom these words: 'the stock in any monied or stock corporation within or out of this state, and all government securities which yield a less annual income than that herein before limited,' in the 9th, 10th and 11th lines of that section.

On motion by Mr. Semmes, the said proviso was further amended by erasing therefrom the words 'or charitable,' in the 13th line of the section.

Mr. Phelps moved to amend the 32d section, by striking out 'sixty,' in the second line thereof, and inserting 'one hundred.'

And the question thereon, being taken, was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Gaither the 35th section was amended by inserting therein, after the words 'on or before the first Monday in June next,' in the 10th line of the section, the following, 'or during the session of the commissioners.'

On motion by Mr. Semmes, the said 35th section was further amended, by inserting therein, after the words 'and on or before the first Monday in April, in every year thereafter,' in the 10th and 11th lines of the section, the following, 'or during the session of the commissioners.'

On motion by Mr. Smith of Worcester, the 37th section was amended, by inserting after the words 'shall sit during twelve consecutive days thereafter,' in the 13th line thereof, these words, 'or longer.'

Mr. Smith of Worcester, moved to amend the 40th section, by striking out the words 'not exceeding twelve,' in the 9th line thereof in the printed bill.

And the question thereon being taken, was determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Burchenal, the 44th section was amended, by inserting after the word 'paying' in the fifth line thereof in the printed bill, these words, 'which sum may be deducted from any money or rents in hand, due from said tenant to the owner of the land or'

On motion by Mr. Done, the 51st section was amended, by inserting after the word 'death' in the first and fifth lines thereof, these words, 'disqualification or absconding from justice.'

On motion by Mr. Miller, the said bill was further amend-